Order **Trombidiformes** Reuter, 1909^{1,2}

Suborder Sphaerolichida OConnor, 1984 (2 superfamilies)³

Superfamily Lordalychoidea Grandjean, 1939 (2 families)

Family Lordalychidae Grandjean, 1939 (1 genus, 16 species)

Superfamily Sphaerolichoidea Berlese, 1913

Family Sphaerolichidae Berlese, 1913 (1 genus, 5 species)

Suborder **Prostigmata** Kramer, 1877 (4 infraorders, 40 superfamilies)

Infraorder Labidostommatina Krantz, 1978 (1 superfamily)

Superfamily Labidostommatoidea Oudemans, 1904 (1 family)

Family Labidostommatidae Oudemans, 1904 (5 genera, 51 species; †0/2)⁴

Infraorder **Eupodina** Krantz, 1978 (5 superfamilies)

Superfamily **Bdelloidea** Dugès, 1834 (2 families)

Family **Bdellidae** Dugès, 1834 (15 genera, 256 Species; †0/5)⁵

Family Cunaxidae Thor, 1902 (27 genera, 329 species)⁶

Superfamily Eriophyoidea Nalepa, 1898 (3 families)⁷

Family Phytoptidae Murray, 1877 (20 genera, 164 species)⁸

Family Eriophyidae Nalepa, 1898 (274 genera, 3,790 species)⁹

Family Diptilomiopidae Keifer, 1944 (63 genera, 450 species)

Superfamily Eupodoidea Koch, 1842 (9 families)¹⁰

Family Cocceupodidae Jesionowska, 2010 (3 genera, 23 species)¹¹

Family Eupodidae Koch, 1842 (10 genera, 69 species)¹²

Family **Dendrochaetidae** Olivier, 2008 (1 genus, 1 species)¹³

Family Eriorhynchidae Qin & Halliday, 1997 (1 genus, 5 species)

Family Pentapalpidae Olivier & Theron, 2000 (1 genus, 1 species)

Family Penthaleidae Oudemans, 1931 (5 genera, 16 species)¹⁴

Family Penthalodidae Thor, 1933 (6 genera, 35 species; ; †0/1)¹⁵

Family Rhagidiidae Oudemans, 1922 (28 genera, 157 species; ; †1/1)

Family Strandtmanniidae Zacharda, 1979 (1 genus, 2 species)¹⁶

Jesionowska (2008) transferred *Hawaiieupodes* Strandtmann & Goff from the Eupodidae to the Penthalodidae. However, the unsettled diagnosis of the latter means that the new placement is also unsatisfactory. Consequently, the genus is here retained in the Eupodidae as originally assigned (Strandtmann & Goff 1978).

Abou-Awad (1984) erected *Egypteupodes* on the basis of the absence of internal vertical setae (*iv*). Olivier and Theron (1997) synonymized the genus with *Eupodes* because they observed that, although minute, *iv* were present. However, because it is not clear whether these authors examined type material, *Egypteupodes* is included in the generic complement.

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^{2.} Higher classification and estimates of genera and species within families generally follow Walter *et al.* (2009), with revisions and updates as otherwise indicated. To be consistent with Beaulieu *et al.* (2011) and Schatz *et al.* (2011) in this volume, the rank cohort is not used and older names for higher taxa are used—also consistent with OConnor (1984) and Mironov & Bochkov (2009).

^{3.} Based on Moraza (2008) and Walter et al. (2009), with updates.

^{4.} Based on Dunlop & Bertrand (2011); throughout this paper, counts of genera and species are totals (Recent and fossil); †x/y refers x genera and y species, among the totals, are based on fossil.

^{5.} Based on van der Schyff *et al.* (2003), Hernandes & Feres (2006), Hernandes *et al.* (2007), with updates.

^{6.} Based on Den Heyer (2011).

^{7.} Based on unpublished database of James Amrine.

^{8.} One species of fossil (Dunlop et al. 2011).

^{9.} Three species of fossil galls (Dunlop et al. 2011).

^{10.} Species numbers do not include taxa that are evidently correctly placed in the Eupodoidea but are insufficiently defined for recognition. Many of these were described by C.L. Koch (see Thor & Willmann 1941). Jesionowska (2010) and Zacharda (1980) list species inquirendae for the Cocceupodidae and Rhagidiidae respectively.

Based on Jesionowska (2010).

^{12.} Fain (1964) synonymized *Protereunetes* Berlese with *Ereynetes* Berlese. Despite Strandtmann (1970) reassigning eupodid species described in *Protereunetes* to *Eupodes* Koch, the generic name continued to be used by some authors. Fain's synonymy is accepted and *Protereunetes* is not here recognized as a eupodid genus.

^{13.} Published in 2008, 2009, too late to be included by Walter et al. (2009).

^{14.} See first footnote for the Penthalodidae.

Superfamily Halacaroidea Murray, 1877 (2 families)

Family Halacaridae Murray, 1877 (63 genera, 1,118 species)¹⁷

Family Pezidae Harvey, 1990 (1 genus, 2 species)

Superfamily **Tydeoidea** Kramer, 1877 (4 families)¹⁸

Family **Triophtydeidae** André, 1980¹⁹ (3 genera, 40 species)

Family Ereynetidae Oudemans, 1931 (29 genera, 180 species)

Family **Tydeidae** Kramer, 1877 (30 genera, 340 species; †1/2)

Family **Iolinidae** Pritchard, 1956 (36 genera, 125 species)

Infraorder **Anystina** van der Hammen, 1972 (2 hyporders, 22 superfamilies)

Hyporder Anystae Krantz, 1978 (5 superfamilies)

Superfamily Adamystoidea Cunliffe, 1957 (1 family)

Family Adamystidae Cunliffe, 1957 (4 genera, 20 species)²⁰

Superfamily **Anystoidea** Oudemans, 1936 (3 families)

Family Anystidae Oudemans, 1936 (18 genera, 107 species; †2/5)²¹

Family Pseudocheylidae Oudemans, 1909 (3 genera, 15 species)²²

Family **Teneriffiidae** Thor, 1911 (5 genera, 20 species)²³

Superfamily Caeculoidea Berlese, 1883 (1 family)

Family Caeculidae Berlese, 1883 (7 genera, 73 species; †1/2)²⁴

Superfamily **Pomerantzioidea** Baker, 1949 (1 family)

Family Pomerantziidae Baker, 1949 (2 genera, 6 species)²⁵

Superfamily Paratydeoidea Baker, 1949 (1 family)

Family Paratydeidae Baker, 1949 (6 genera, 10 species)²⁶

Family **Stigmocheylidae** Kethley, 1990 (1 genus, 4 species)²⁷

Hyporder Parasitengona Oudemans, 1909 (17 superfamilies)²⁸

Superfamily Calyptostomatoidea Oudemans, 1923 (1 family)²⁹

Family Calyptostomatidae Oudemans, 1923 (1 genus, 6 species)

Superfamily Erythraeoidea Robineau-Desvoidy, 1828 (2 families)³⁰

Family Erythraeidae Robineau-Desvoidy, 1828 (55 genera, 771 species)³¹

Family **Smarididae** Kramer, 1878 (10 genera, 53 species)³²

- 16. Strandtmanniidae is considered a possible junior synonym of Rhagidiidae by Qin (1996).
- 17. Based on Bartsch (2009).
- 18. After Walter et al. (2009); we regret to note here that the data were not checked by a specialist.
- 19. H.M. André of Belgium (not M. André of France).
- 20. Based on Fuangarworn & Lekprayoon (2010).
- 21. Based on Meyer & Ueckermann (1987), Otto (1999, 2000), with updates.
- 22. Based on Ueckermann & Khanjani (2004).
- 23. Based on Judson (1994), Ueckermann & Khanjani (2002), Khanjani *et al.* (2011), with updates.
- 24. Based on Franz (1952), Coineau & Poinar (2001), with updates.
- 25. Based on Bochkov & Walter (2007).
- 26. Based on Seeman et al. (2000).
- 27. Based on Bochkov (2008a).
- 28. The classification above the family level is highly unsettled for this group (Zhang & Fan, 2007). One view is that water mites (Hydracarina) form a sister group to the rest of the terrestrial Parasitengona (Krantz 1978; Smith & Cook 1991; Witte 1991). A radically different view (Welbourn (1991), is that water mites and Trombidiina are considered sister groups, and together they form a sister group to Erythraeina (Erythraeoidea + Calyptostomatoidea). Walter et al. (2009) proposed Stygothrombiae for Stygothrombidioidea, which was not analysed in Witte (1991) and Welbourn (1991). Future analyses sampling all superfamilies of both water mites and terrestrial Parasitengona are much needed before any reliable classification of the Parasitengona at the ordinal level can be reached. Therefore we provide a list of superfamilies without choosing any higher classification.
- 29. Based on unpublished list of Beron, who also provided data for Erythraeoidea.
- 30. †Pararainbowia martilli Dunlop, 2007 is unplaced within the superfamily.
- 31. Based on Southcott (1961), Beron (2008) with updates. Dunlop *et al.* (2011) listed 13 species described from Baltic amber in 1854; these require checking.
- 32. Based on Southcott (1961), Zhang (2003), Beron (2008), Wohltmann (2010) with updates.

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^{15.} **Penthalodidae**: Qin (1997) considered that *Protopenthalodes* Jesionowska would be better accommodated in either the Eupodidae or Penthaleidae, rather than the Penthalodidae as originally placed (Jesionowska 1989). However, he retained the genus in the latter until familial monophyly was resolved and a correct taxonomic position could be established.

Jesionowska (2008) reassessed the importance of the epirostrum as a diagnostic familial character state and concluded that *Callipenthalodes* Qin, *Turanopenthalodes* Barilo and *Stereotydeus* Berlese should be removed from the Penthalodidae. Because she neither reassigned them to existing families nor erected new ones for them, these genera have been treated here as penthalodids.

Family †Proterythraeidae Vercammen-Grandjean, 1973 (1 genus, 1 species; †1/1)

Superfamily Amphotrombioidea Zhang, 1998 (1 family)³³

Family **Amphotrombiidae** Zhang, 1998 (1 genus, 1 species)

Superfamily Allotanaupodoidea Zhang & Fan, 2007 (1 family)³⁴

Family Allotanaupodidae Zhang & Fan, 2007 (3 genera, 6 species)

Superfamily Chyzerioidea Womersley, 1954 (1 family)

Family Chyzeriidae Womersley, 1954 (11 genera, 30 species)³⁵

Superfamily **Tanaupodoidea** Thor, 1935 (1 family)

Family **Tanaupodidae** Thor, 1935 (7 genera, 23 species; †1/1)³⁶

Superfamily **Trombiculoidea** Ewing, 1929 (7 families)

Family Johnstonianidae Thor, 1935 (10 genera, 53 species)³⁷

Family Neotrombidiidae Feider, 1959 (5 genera, 24 species)³⁸

Family Trombellidae Leach, 1815 (19 genera, 41 species)³⁹

Family Leeuwenhoekiidae Womersley, 1944 (33 genera, 230 species)

Family **Trombiculidae** Ewing, 1929 (152 genera, 3,100 species)⁴⁰

Family Walchiidae Ewing, 1946 (19 genera, 298 species)

Family Audyanidae Southcott, 1987 (1 genus, 1 species)⁴¹

Superfamily Trombidioidea Leach, 1815 (4 families)

Family Achaemenothrombiidae Saboori, Wohltmann & Hakimitabar, 2010 (1 genus, 2 species)⁴²

Family Neothrombiidae Feider, 1959 (16 genera, 25 species)⁴³

Family Microtrombidiidae Thor, 1935 (126 genera, 437 species)⁴⁴

Family Trombidiidae Leach, 1815 (25 genera, 253 species)⁴⁵

Superfamily Yurebilloidea Southcott, 1996 (1 family)⁴⁶

Family Yurebillidae Southcott, 1996 (1 genus, 1 species)⁴⁷

Superfamily Hydryphantoidea Piersig, 1896 (8 families)⁴⁸

Family **Hydryphantidae** Piersig, 1896 (51 genera, 329 species)

Family Hydrodromidae Viets, 1936 (2 genera, 28 species)

Family **Rhynchohydracaridae** Lundblad, 1936 (5 genera, 13 species)

Family **Teratothyadidae** Viets, 1929 (2 genera, 9 species)

Family Ctenothyadidae Lundblad, 1936 (2 genera, 3 species)

Family **Thermacaridae** Sokolow, 1927 (1 genera, 4 species)

Family **Zelandothyadidae** Cook, 1983 (2 genera, 3 species)

Family Malgasacaridae Tuzovskij, Gerecke & Goldschmidt 2007 (1 genus, 1 species)

Superfamily Eylaoidea Leach, 1815 (4 families)

Family Eylaidae Leach, 1815 (2 genera, 96 species)

Family Limnocharidae Grube, 1859 (5 genera, 44 species)

41. Also placed by some authors in Trombellidae (Southcott 1987).

^{33.} Based on larval stage only with similarities to both early-derivative water mites and Trombidina (Zhang 1998),

^{34.} This superfamily was missed in the chapter on Trombidiformes in the *Manual of Acarology*, third edition (Walter *et al.* 2009). Zhang & Fan (2007) provided a key to superfamilies of terrestrial Parasitengona (based on post-larval stages).

^{35.} Based on Zhang & Saboori (1995); Haitlinger (1999), Saboori *et al.* (2005), with updates.

^{36.} Based on Newell (1957), Welbourn, W.C. (1991), Judson & Makol (2009) with updates.

^{37.} Based on Newell (1957, 1960), Wohltmann *et al.* (2004), with updates.

^{38.} Based on Lindquist & Vercammen-Grandjean (1971), Vercammen-Grandjean (1973), Feider (1977), Beron (1995), with updates.

^{39.} Based on Southcott (1987), Welbourn (1991), Harvey (1996), Saboori et al. (2005) with updates.

^{40.} An estimate to be varified.

^{42.} Known from larvae only; Saboori et al. (2010) provided a key to families of Trombidioidea based on larvae.

^{43.} Based on Zhang (1994), Zhang & Fan (2005), Haitlinger (2007), Saboori et al. (2008) and Makol et al. (2009), with updates.

^{44.} Based on Southcott (1993, 1994), Gabrys (1999), Wohltmann (2006), Makol & Laydanowicz (2010) with updates; Eutrombidiidae is merged into Microtrombidiidae based on phylogenetic work of Wohltmann (2006).

^{45.} Updated based on Mąkol (2007) and Mąkol & Sevsay (2011). Includes Podothrombiidae recognized in Mąkol (2007) and some earlier papers cited by Mąkol (2007). Dunlop *et al.* (2011) listed 5 species described from Baltic amber in 1854; these require checking.

^{46.} Updated from Southcott (1993) and Makol & Gabrys (2005).

^{47.} Described by Southcott (1996) from larval stage only, initially placed in Trombidioidea *s.l.*, but was excluded from Trombidioidea *s.s.* by Saboori *et al.* (2010). Here it is placed in Yurebilloidea Southcott, 1996; superfamily rank is used here for the first time; decision by Z. Zhang. Based on larval characters, this superfamily is very closely related to Trombidoidea sin its strict sense.

^{48.} Davids et al. (2006) with updates.

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Family Piersigiidae Oudemans, 1902 (4 genera, 9 species)
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Family Apheviderulicidae Gerecke, Smith & Cook, 1999 (1 genus, 3 species)

Superfamily **Hydrovolzioidea** Thor, 1905 (2 families)

Family Hydrovolziidae Thor, 1905 (3 genera, 16 species)

Family Acherontacaridae Cook, 1967 (2 genera, 19 species)

Superfamily Hydrachnoidea Leach, 1815 (1 family)

Family Hydrachnidae Leach, 1815 (1 genus, 131 species)

Superfamily **Lebertioidea** Thor, 1900 (10 families)

Family Bandakiopsidae Panesar, 2004 (3 genera, 4 species)

Family Stygotoniidae Cook, 1992 (1 genus, 1 species)

Family **Sperchontidae** Thor, 1900 (5 genera, 173 species)

Family Rutripalpidae Sokolow, 1934 (1 genus, 2 species)

Family **Teutonidae** Koenike, 1910 (2 genera, 6 species)

Family Anisitsiellidae Koenike, 1910 (29 genera, 159 species)

Family Lebertiidae Thor, 1900 (3 genera, 138 species)

Family Acucapitidae Wiles, 1996 (1 genus, 2 species)

Family Oxidae Viets, 1926 (2 genera, 126 species)

Family Torrenticolidae Piersig, 1902 (6 genera, 397 species)

Superfamily **Hygrobatoidea** Koch, 1842 (13 families)

Family **Pontarachnidae** Koenike, 1910 (2 genera, 40 species)

Family Limnesiidae Thor, 1900 (29 genera, 227 species)

Family Omartacaridae Cook, 1963 (2 genera, 14 species)

Family Wettinidae Cook, 1956 (4 genera, 9 species)

Family Frontipodopsidae Viets, 1931 (1 genus, 9 species)

Family Ferradasiidae Cook, 1980 (1 genus, 1 species)

Family Lethaxonidae Cook, Smith & Harvey, 2000 (3 genera, 16 species)

Family Hygrobatidae Koch, 1842 (82 genera, 846 species)

Family Aturidae Thor, 1900 (81 genera, 800 species)

Family Feltriidae Viets, 1926 (1 genus, 115 species)

Family Unionicolidae Oudemans, 1909 (18 genera, 477 species)

Family **Pionidae** Thor, 1900 (15 genera, 342 species)

Family Astacocrotonidae Thor, 1927 (1 genus, 1 species)

Superfamily Arrenuroidea Thor, 1900 (20 families)

Family Momoniidae Viets, 1926 (13 genera, 55 species)

Family Nudomideopsidae Smith, 1990 (3 genera, 31 species)

Family Mideopsidae Koenike, 1910 (8 genera, 113 species)

Family **Athienemanniidae** Viets, 1922 (16 genera, 43 species)

Family Chappuisididae Motas & Tanasachi, 1946 (2 genera, 13 species)

Family Gretacaridae Viets, 1978 (1 genus, 15 species)

Family **Neoacaridae** Motas & Tanasachi, 1947 (2 genera, 19 species)

Family **Mideidae** Thor, 1911 (2 genera, 6 species)

Family Acalyptonotidae Walter, 1911 (2 genera, 4 species)

Family Kantacaridae Imamura, 1959 (1 genus, 1 species)

Family Nipponacaridae Imamura, 1959 (1 genus, 3 species)

Family **Harpagopalpidae** Viets, 1924 (1 genus, 7 species)

Family Arenohydracaridae Cook, 1974 (1 genus, 3 species)

Family Amoenacaridae Smith & Cook, 1997 (1 genus, 3 species)

Family Laversiidae Cook, 1955 (1 genus, 1 species)

Family **Krendowskiidae** Viets, 1926 (4 genera, 52 species)

Family Arrenuridae Thor, 1900 (7 genera, 950 species)

Family Bogatiidae Motas & Tanasachi, 1948 (2 genera, 3 species)

Family **Hungarohydracaridae** Motas & Tanasachi, 1959 (5 genera, 17 species)

Family Uchidastygacaridae Imamura, 1956 (3 genera, 15 species)

Superfamily Stygothrombidioidea Thor, 1935 (1 family)

Family **Stygothrombiidae** Thor, 1935 (5 genera, 16 species)

Infraorder **Eleutherengona** Oudemans . 1909 (12 superfamilies)

Hyporder **Raphignathina** Kethley, 1982 (5 superfamilies)

Superfamily Cheyletoidea Leach, 1815 (5 families)

Family Cheyletidae Leach, 1815 (75 genera, 438 species)⁴⁹

Family **Demodicidae** Nicolet, 1855 (7 genera, 108 species)⁵⁰

Family Harpirhynchidae Dubinin, 1957 (14 genera, 93 species)⁵¹

Family **Psorergatidae** Dubinin, 1955 (3 genera, 73 species)⁵²

Family Syringophilidae Lavoipierre, 1953 (63 genera, 259 species)⁵³

Superfamily **Myobioidea** Mégnin, 1877 (1 family)

Family **Myobiidae** Mégnin, 1877 (54 genera, 503 species)⁵⁴

Superfamily **Pterygosomatoidea** Oudemans, 1910 (1 family)

Family Pterygosomatidae Oudemans, 1910 (10 genera, 166 species)⁵⁵

Superfamily Raphignathoidea Kramer 1877 (11 families)⁵⁶

Family **Barbutiidae** Robaux, 1975 (1 genus, 5 species)⁵⁷

Family Caligonellidae Grandjean, 1944 (5 genera, 50 species)⁵⁸

Family Camerobiidae Southcott, 1957 (7 genera, 146 species; †0/1)⁵⁹

Family Cryptognathidae Oudemans, 1902 (3 genera, 52 species)⁶⁰

Family Dasythyreidae Walter & Gerson, 1998 (2 genera, 5 species)⁶¹

Family Eupalopsellidae Willmann, 1952 (5 genera, 40 species)⁶²

Family Homocaligidae Wood, 1970 (2 genera, 8 species)⁶³

Family Mecognathidae Gerson & Walter, 1998 (2 genera, 7 species)⁶⁴

Family Raphignathidae Kramer, 1877 (3 genera, 57 species)⁶⁵

Family Stigmaeidae Oudemans, 1931 (30 genera, 502 species)⁶⁶

Family **Xenocaligonellididae** Gonzalez, 1978 (2 genera, 5 species)⁶⁷

Superfamily **Tetranychoidea** Donnadieu 1875 (5 families)

Family Allochaetophoridae Reck, 1959 (1 genus, 2 species)⁶⁸

Family Linotetranidae Baker & Pritchard, 1953 (4 genera, 16 species)⁶⁹

Family **Tenuipalpidae** Berlese, 1913 (34 genera, 895 species)⁷⁰

Family **Tetranychidae** Donnadieu 1875 (95 genera, 1,270 species)⁷¹

Family **Tuckerellidae** Baker & Pritchard, 1953 (1 genus, 28 species)⁷²

Hyporder Heterostigmata Berlese, 1899 (7 superfamilies)

^{49.} Based on Bochkov (2005) with additions.

^{50.} Based on Bochkov (2009) with modifications.51. Based on a unpublished database of A.V. Bochkov.

^{52.} Based on Giesen (1990).

^{53.} Based on Skoracki (2011) with additions.

^{54.} Based on Bochkov (2009).

Based on Bochkov (2008b) with additions. 55.

^{56.} Based on a unpublished database of Q.-H. Fan.

^{57.} Based on Fan et al. (2003) with additions.

^{58.} Based on Fan (2005).

^{59.} 60. Based on Fan (2005) and Fan & Walter (2011) with additions.

Based on Doğan & Dönel (2010) and Fan (2005).

^{61.} Based on Walter & Gerson (1998) with additions.

^{62.} Based on Fan (2005) with additions.

^{63.} Based on Fan (1997, 2005).

^{64.} Based on Fan & Zhang (2005) and Fan (2005).

^{65.} Based on Fan (2005) with additions.

^{66.} Based on Fan & Zhang (2005), Meyer & Ueckermann (1989) and Fan (2005) with additions.

^{67.} Based on Fan (2005).

^{68.} Based on Meyer & Ueckermann (1997).

^{69.} Baed on Bagheri et al. (2008) and Khanjani et al. (2011), with updates.

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^{71.} Based on Spider Mites Web (http://www.ensam.inra.fr/CBGP/spmweb/index.php). Dunlop et al. (2011) listed 2 species described from Baltic amber in 1854; these require checking.

Based on Meyer & Ueckermann (1997) with additions.

Superfamily Dolichocyboidea Mahunka, 1970 (1 family)

Family **Dolichocybidae** Mahunka, 1970 (6 genera, 37 species)⁷³

Family Crotalomorphidae Lindquist & Krantz, 2002 (1 genus, 1 species)

Superfamily **Heterocheyloidea** Trägårdh, 1950 (1 family)

Family Heterocheylidae Trägårdh, 1950 (1 genus, 25 species)

Superfamily Pyemotoidea Oudemans, 1937 (4 families)

Family Acarophenacidae Cross, 1965 (7 genera, 31 species; †1/1)

Family Caraboacaridae Mahunka, 1970 (2 genera, 7 species)

Family **Resinacaridae** Mahunka, 1976 (2 genera, 2 species; †1/1)

Family **Pyemotidae** Oudemans, 1937 (1 genus, 24, species; †1/1)⁷⁴

Superfamily **Pygmephoroidea** Cross, 1965 (4 families)⁷⁵

Family Pygmephoridae Cross, 1965 (27 genera, 310 species)

Family Scutacaridae Oudemans, 1916 (24 genera, 802 species)

Family Microdispidae Cross, 1965 (17 genera, 109 species)

Family Neopygmephoridae Cross, 1965 (17 genera, 248 species)

Superfamily Tarsocheyloidea Atyeo & Baker, 1964 (1 family)

Family Tarsocheylidae Atyeo & Baker, 1964 (2 genera, 3 species)

Superfamily Tarsonemoidea Kramer, 1877 (2 families)

Family Podapolipidae Ewing, 1922 (30 genera, 239 species)

Family **Tarsonemidae** Kramer, 1877 (41 genera, 566 species)⁷⁶

Superfamily **Trochometridioidea** Mahunka 1970 (2 families)

Family **Trochometridiidae** Mahunka 1970 (2 genera, 6 species)⁷⁷

Family Athyreacaridae Lindquist, Kaliszewski & Rack, 1990 (1 genus, 1 species)

Hyporder incertae sedis

Superfamily Cloacaroidea Camin, Moss, Oliver & Singer, 1967 (2 families)⁷⁸

Family Cloacaridae Camin, Moss, Oliver & Singer, 1967 (6 genera, 14 species)

Family Epimyodicidae Fain, Lukoschus & Rosmalen, 1982 (1 genus, 4 species)

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^{73.} Based on Hajiqanbar & Khaustov (2010) and Rahiminejad *et al.* (2011).

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